In the Indiana Supreme Court



IN THE MATTER OF THE)		
APPROVAL OF LOCAL RULES)	Case No. 21S00-0712-MS-58	39
FOR FAYETTE COUNTY)		

ORDER APPROVING AMENDED LOCAL RULE

The Judges of the Fayette Circuit and Superior Courts request the approval of an amended local rule for caseload allocation in accordance with Ind. Administrative Rule 1(E). Attached to this Order is the proposed amended local rule.

Upon examination of the proposed rule amendment requested by the Fayette Circuit and Superior Courts, this Court finds that the proposed rule amendment, LR21-TR00-TR4 complies with the requirements of Ind. Administrative Rule 1(E), and, accordingly, should be approved and posted in the county clerk's office(s) and on the county clerk's website, if any, and on the Indiana Judicial Website prior to taking effect on January 1, 2008.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by this Court that amended Local Rule LR21-TR00-TR4 for Fayette County Courts, set forth as an attachment to this Order, is approved effective January 1, 2008. The Clerk of this Court is directed to post a copy of the amended rule on the Indiana Judicial Website prior to January 1, 2008. The Clerk of this Court is further directed to forward a copy of this Order to the Hon. Daniel Lee Pflum, Fayette Circuit Court, 401 North Central Avenue, Connersville, IN 47331-1981; the Hon. Ronald T. Urdal, Fayette Superior Court, 401 North Central Avenue, Connersville, IN 47331-1981; and to the Clerk of the Fayette Circuit Court.

The Clerk of the Fayette Circuit Court is directed to enter this Order and attachment in the Record of Judgments and Orders for the Courts, to post this Order and attachment for examination by the Bar and the general public, and if available, to publish this Order and attachment on the county clerk's website prior to January 1, 2008.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana, this _____ day of December, 2007.

Randall T. Shepard

Chief Justice of Indiana

LR21-TR00-TR-4

CASE ASSIGNMENT

All cases with a designation of IF, OV, PO, SC, and MF and GU shall be filed in Superior Court. Cases with a designation of CC shall be shared by the Circuit Court and the Superior Court subject to the following limitation: a maximum of 150 CC cases per year may be filed in the Circuit Court. Once the maximum number of CC case filings in Circuit Court has occurred, all cases with a CC designation shall be filed in the Superior Court.

IN THE FAYETTE CIRCUIT COURT IN THE FAYETTE SUPERIOR COURT

STATE OF INDIANA

IN THE MATTER OF JOINT LOCAL CIVIL RULES

21001-0711-0B-395 21001-0711-0B-721

ORDER FINDING GOOD CAUSE TO DEVIATE FROM THE SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTING LOCAL COURT RULES AND PROPOSED AMENDED JOINT LOCAL CIVIL RULE

The Judges of Fayette County Indiana, according to T.R. 81(D), find that good cause exists to deviate from the schedule established for the adoption or amendment of local court rules for the proposed amendment to the caseload allocation plan at LR21-TR00-TR-4. Comments may be submitted for thirty (30) days after posting to circuit@co.fayette.in.us

The Courts pursuant to Administrative Rule 1 now amend the Joint Civil Rule 4 of the Fayette Circuit and Superior Courts, to be and remain in full force and effect on and at all times after January 1, 2008, and until further order of the Court.

It is further ordered that these rules be spread of record on the Record of Judgments and Order Books of the Courts and that they be printed and distributed to members of the Fayette County Bar, and two copies thereof transmitted to the Clerk of the Indiana Supreme Court and the Indiana Court of Appeals.

SO ORDERED this 29th day of October, 2007.

Daniel Lee Pflum

Judge, Fayette Circuit Court

Ronald T. Urdal.

Judge, Fayette Superior Court